

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 12 noon on Tuesday, November 28, 2017.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1176)

H.R. 304, to amend the Controlled Substances Act with regard to the provision of emergency medical services. Signed on November 17, 2017. (Public Law 115–83)

H.R. 3031, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for flexibility in making withdrawals from a Thrift Savings Plan account. Signed on November 17, 2017. (Public Law 115–84)

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2017

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* business meeting to consider the nominations of Brian D. Montgomery, of Texas, Robert Hunter Kurtz, of Virginia, and Suzanne Israel Tufts, of New York, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the nomination of Jerome H. Powell, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 9:45 a.m., SH–216.

*Committee on the Budget:* business meeting to consider reconciliation legislation pursuant to H. Con. Res. 71, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2018 and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2019 through 2027, 2:30 p.m., SD–608.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Subcommittee on Clean Air and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Kenneth E. Allen, of Kentucky, A. D. Frazier, of Georgia, Jeffrey Smith, of Tennessee, and James R. Thompson III, of Alabama, each to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, 10 a.m., SD–406.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Christopher Ashley Ford, of Mary-

land, to be an Assistant Secretary (International Security and Non-Proliferation), and Yleem D. S. Poblete, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary (Verification and Compliance), both of the Department of State, 10 a.m., SD–419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* to hold hearings to examine reauthorizing the Higher Education Act, focusing on examining proposals to simplify the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), 10 a.m., SD–430.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine S. 1241, to improve the prohibitions on money laundering, 10 a.m., SD–226.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH–219.

### House

*Committee on Rules,* Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 3017, the “Brownfields Enhancement, Economic Redevelopment, and Reauthorization Act of 2017”; and H.R. 3905, the “Minnesota’s Economic Rights in the Superior National Forest Act”, 5 p.m., H–313 Capitol.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of November 28 through  
December 1, 2017

### Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Gregory G. Katsas, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, post-cloture. At approximately 5:30 p.m., Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

*Committee on Armed Services:* November 30, to hold hearings to examine recommendations from outside experts for a future National Defense Strategy, 10 a.m., SD–G50.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* November 28, business meeting to consider the nominations of Brian D. Montgomery, of Texas, Robert Hunter Kurtz, of Virginia, and Suzanne Israel Tufts, of New York, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the nomination of Jerome H. Powell, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 9:45 a.m., SH–216.

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